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WHEELING, W. VA., MONDAY MORNING, MARCH 26, 1888.

# The Intelligencer.

getting it from all sides. How much better it would have been for all parties the strike had never been struck,

As advertiser in a New York news paper wants to get in communication For the Present Week-Arranging for h "a consummate liar." It is clear that he is about to fit out a western

Is the six days race in London be tween bicyclists and cowboys, the wheelmen made 991 miles and the wild riders of the Rowdy West 892. The mustang s bugh, but the wheel gets there all the

flicted Queen Victoria with melancholia, and the news thereof is heralded over the world as though it were not well known that Her Majesty of England is far from being in a robust mental condi-

WE do not desire to interfere with the arrangements of Mr. Murderer Tascott, but if he will come here and let hi presence be known, we shall be glad to discover him in Wheeling. Ours is about the only city in which he has not

WHILE Findlay was a boom town it at tracted the notice of a man who now figares as the proud possessor of an assort ed family of seven wives. No, Wheeling cannot equal Findlay in this respect. Some of our able men have not courage enough to take one wife.

It is impossible to reply to each in quiry concerning the Special State De elopment Edition of the INTELLIGENCER The paper will appear next Saturday March 31st, and will be five cents a copy of sixteen pages. It will not be on the line of the ordinary "boom" newspaper for it will tell facts as they are.

A CHERREL report comes from Wash Don M. Dickinson, who was made Postmaster General because he is a boss politician and general political juggler, is ident for the place, Mr. Dickinson is understood to regard the vacant sent as just his size. We shall see whether President Cleveland is bold enough to do this

Tue State development idea has taker fast hold of the people of West Virginia The counties are moving and the people are anxious to have it known that they will welcome settlers and capitalists.

There is a hopeful feeling, but as ye no disposition to put up prices merely because an effort is being made to bring West Virginia land into market. In es are certain to be higher, but that will be when the tide has turned toward us good and strong and the world begins to believe the truths we are tell

### ile Says the Democratic Party is Trying t

NEW YORK, March 25.-A Boston special says: Mr. Allen Knowlton, of Magnolia, has received the following note from President Ingalls, of the

Accept my thanks for your very obligng note of the 8th inst. I am glad to that my sentiments are approved accitizens of my native county. The Democratic party is endeavoring to possate the House to resume the robustret the history of this country, and if they keep on going for the next it will be impossible to tell which side prevailed in the late contest. The Corcoran Art Gallery here is full of pictures of rebel generals in uniform with not asingle Union commander to keep them company. The official records of the war of the rebellion, now being published, are habitually mutilated in order to give color to events, and they now propose to destroy the manuscript after the

ger, one of Parkersburg's wealthiest citizens. Another prominent event in Hebrew circles will be the marriage here on April 4th of Miss Sallie Newberger to Mr. Levi Rosenbaum, of Easton, Pa.

A city election will occur on the 3d of April, at which one Councilman from each ward is to be chosen. The tin-lamp exploit and other acts of the present Democratic Council have made a Republican victory certain.

Arrangements are being made for one of the most gigantic cocking-mains

Arrangements are being made for one of the most gigantic cocking-mains ever witnessed in the Ohio Valley. The date set is Monday night, April 2, and the place about a mile and a half from this city, out on Sand Plains. Game birds from various towns in Ohio will be pitted against cocks from several will be pitted against cocks from several will be beyond the city limits the gend'armes cannot interfere.

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day night in Wharton county, near the recent scene of the massacre of six negroes at Spanish Camp. This killing was on Battle's plantation. Governor Ross sent a company of Rangers to Wharton county to suppress the law-lessness.

Mary Clarke, Maltby House, Baltimore, Md.

# WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

Matters at the Capital of Interest to West Virginians.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAMME

the Funeral of Chief Justice Waite-To be Held in the Hall of Representatives.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 25 .- Con gressman Hogg this morning received a letter from Commissioner Black, saying Harrisville, and Corbin, of Ellenboro nominated by Hogg, have been commi ioned members of the Pension Board, with headquarters at Harrisville. An missioner Black creating a new Pension Board for the Roane section, with headuarters at Spencer. The members are not vet selected.

William G. Brown, of Kingwood, and Postmaster Flagg, of Charlestown, arrived yesterday.

A change in the postal route from Jackson C. H., to Douglass, necessitated by the removal of the site was ordered resterday. A new office has been established at Chesterville, Wood county, with Winfield Stevens as postmaster.

The River and Harbor bill is ready to e reported. The committee is very close mouthed about allottments, but West Virginia streams and the Ohio river fare well. A member says the total appropriation will be about fifteen mil-lion dollars.

## CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAMME. An Interesting Week in Both Houses. Measures to be Debuted. Washington, March 25.—There will

probably be a struggle for precedence in he Senate to-morrow between Senator reau of animal industry, and Senator ington concerning the successor to the Platt, with his South Dakota bill. Sen-Platt, with his South Dakota on: Sen-ator Palmer's bill holds the position of unfinished business, but Semtor Platt will ask that it be displaced. Both Sen-ators express a purpose to do their ut-most to secure the right of way. The winning measure is likely to take up-nearly all the time of the Senate through-out the week

nearly all the time of the Senate throughout the week.
Wednesday will be devoted to the obsequies of the late Chief Justice.
The Memphis bridge bill may secure a hearing in the morning hours and it is probable that Senator Wilson, of Maryland, will some time during the week ask that the regular order be laid aside to afford him a chance to deliver his speech on the character of the western mail service. One day may be devoted to unobjected cases of the calendar.
District of Columbia matters will ecupy the first legislative day of the week in the House, prominent among them being the bills to promote anatomical science in the district by giving pauper's bodies to medical colleges, and the Georgetown & Tennallytown cable road bill, both of which will be subjects of controversy. The Commerce Committee will be given the floor Tuesday. It has held a large number of bills for action, including the Nicaragua Canal bill, the bill to loan Government exhibits to the Ohio Centennial Exposinetion, including the Michigua Canaloill, the bill to loan Government ex-nibits to the Ohio Centennial Expos-ion, the Bureau of Health bill, the 'drummers' bill and the bill to prevent "drummers" bill and the bill to prevent frauds on American manufacturers, in addition to a great number of bridge, light houses and life saving station bills. It is also the intention fo call up the postal telegraph bill, not for action, but to raise and determine the question as to the right of the Commerce Committee to substitute such a bill for the one which proposes to place telegraph companies under the operation of the Inter-State Commerce law.

The Public Lands Committee will endeavor to get the House to resume the

International Council of Women opened

# Worth Knowing.

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It is said on the very best authority that Judge J. M. Jackson will be a candidate for President of the Court of Appeals to succeed Judge Okey Johnson.

\*Negroes Murdered in Texas.\*

Richmond, Texas, March 25.—A sourier just arrived from Wharton, states that two negroes were murdered on Tuesday night in Wharton county, near the day night in Wharton county, near the

Mary Clarke, Maltby House, Baltimore, Md,

## SEVEN LIVING WIVES

Martinsburg, W. Va., March 25 .-It is stated at a late hour this evening by the attending physicians that Gen. W. H. H. Flick, who was paralyzed Thurs day night, has not made the least in ovement. The people of the entire city and surrounding country are in deep sympathy with Mr. Flick in his afflic tion. Callers were numerous throughou cians that he will not recover:

Another dispatch says: Though his nind seems clear and he has somewhat recovered the use of his side, General Flick's condition is still critical. Your Flick's condition is still critical. Your correspondent consulted one of the best physicians, who had seen him, and it is his opinion that the chances are nearly all against his recovery. He states, however, that the blood clot on the brain is slight. The Judge is in good spirits, which is a big lever in his favor and no doubt will greatly aid in his ultimate recovery.

### THE STATE LINE ROAD.

Canonsburg People hold a Meeting to Boot

erial Dispatch to the Intelligen Canonsburg, Pa., March 25.-An im promptu meeting of the citizens for the secure the Wheeling, Wellsburg & State Line road was held here Friday evening. A statement of what had been done and what the managers desired was plainly made. A resolution was unanimously adopted piedging the company to use their best endeavors to secure the right of way and the \$5000 per mile asked for. The engineers are only waiting the letting up of the blizzard before commencing the surveys from Canonsburg to Wellsburg, via West Middletown, Achison, Dunsfort and Bethany. A number of leading business men have already subscribed \$500 each. Either route from Wellsburg east can reach this place. A statement of what had been done and

gun to simmer. The Democrats met in for the purpose, as he said, of releasing a their respective wards Friday night and appointed their delegates to the city convention. Executive Committee and

First ward-For Councilmen, T. J. First ward—For Councilmen, T. J. Bryan, R. A. Matthews, Jacob Elger. Second ward—George F. Miller, jr., A. F. Southworth, J. K. Oney. Third ward—I. F. Stewart, B. K. Stanley, Garland Buffinton, T. S. Garlam. The present Mayor seems to have the unanimous endorsement and will, in all probability, head their ticket in the next campaign. A very laughable incident occurred at the First ward meeting. A resolytion endorsing the administration of the city affairs for the last fiscal year was adopted. The fiscal year endel less than three months after the last Council, which was Republican, had retired from the city's management. The resolution was intended to refer to the present administration.

LITTLETON, W. VA., March 25.—De ived No. 6, Chicago & New York mail rain, eastbound, and a small pick-up train, eastbonnd, and a small pick-up train drawn by a mogul locomotive, col-lided at the telegraph office here at 12 o'clock yesterday. The wreck of both locomotives and the Grafton & Chicago postoflice car was complete, beside the injury sustained by other cars of both trains. No. 6, was a heavy train and filled with passengers, but only a few bruises and a general shaking up was the result. H. S. Christopher, Passenger Agent Missouri Páciile Railroad Com-pany, Mrs. Martin, of Detroit; Wrs. Bar-Agent Missouri Pacific Railroad Com-pany, Mrs. Martin, of Detroit; Mrs. Bar-ry, wife of the great Knight of Labor or-ganizer, who had her shoulder lurt; Mrs. Marble of Mineapolis; William Bor-ton, of Providence, R. L., were among the passengers. Ingle Malone with a force of men cleared the track in a short time. Both the engineers, Joe Conners and Charles Riley, stuck to their posts in the face of what seemed to be certain death. Mrs. Martin, of Detroit: Mrs. Bar-

described to 10 leads.

Edward T. Waite, the second son, will be added to the common of the House of that the ceremonies in Washington shall take place in the hall of the House of Representotives at 12 o'clock on the Wednesday, Bishop Baret and Doctors Bodine, Leonard and Mott, of the Episcopal Cflurch officiating. There will be no oration. The Judges of the Supreme Court, including Ex-Judge Strong, will at a pall bearers. The President and cabinet and both Houses of Congress and the bar of the Supreme Court, including Ex-Judge Strong, will act as pall bearers. The President and cabinet and both Houses of Congress and the bar of the Supreme Court will attend. The Court as a body and the committees of the two Houses will act company the remains to Toledo.

The Women's Cousell Opens.

Washington, D. C., March 25.—The International Council of Women opened in the Court of the Cour

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.
CHARLESTON, W. VA., March 25.—A dwelling house at Kanawha Falls, West evidence against him, Chaplin hustled Virginia, near the hotel, was burned on Mrs. Freyberger on a train and brought Sturday morning at two o'clock. It was the property of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, and was occupied by the hotel servants. The hotel was saved with difficulty. Loss unknown, but is covered by insurance.

Who are about to Make it Very Warm for Bigamist Chaplin.

ALMOST INCREDIBLE STORY Of the Career of a Villain of the Fire Water-He Pleads Guilty and Asks to be Sent to the Penitentiary Quick.

> FINDLAY, O., March 25 .- The champion in this city. The bigamist, whose nat is Hudson Chaplin, has a career equalled about thirty-five years ago. After he clerking in Dr. Smith's drug store, where he remained for four months. He then went to Greenville, Ind., where he man ried Miss Cora Carson, on a very brief acquaintance. Soon after their marriage he commenced abusing her in a shame

> > Smith's diploma, and skipped the coun-A few months later he turned up at a small village in Southern Illinois, and commenced the practice of medicine over the name of Dr. Smith. Here he met Miss Nellie Webster, whose hand he sought in marriage. They became engaged, and Miss Nellie, having great engaged, and arms Neme, naving great confidence in her affianced, loaned him \$900 with which to buy a home and live in as soon as married. Chaplin disap-peared, leaving his prospective wife to mouth the loss of her \$900. We find him a few months later at Fresno, Cal. where he gave his name as Prof. Baker, a civil engineer. Here he met, wooed and won Miss Clara Jones, a wealthy grain grawark daughter

rescue, and Chaplin was compelled to

leave the country to avoid arrest. He

went back to Marshall and stole Dr

STEALS HIS WIFE'S MONEY.

Two weeks after the marriage kno had been tied he got \$3,000 from his bride for the purpose, as he said, of releasing a mortgage on valuable property in San Francisco. He next showed up in New Orleans, where he was detected in a thef at the St. Charles Hotel, and was forced to leave the city to avoid arrest. Here his name was Dr. Orrin L. Barton. He next went to Baton Rouge, La., where he hung out a shingle, "Dr. O. Lawrence Barton, a graduate of the Ohio Medical College."

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The local physicians soon discovered that he was an impostor, but not until he had won the heart of a wealthy planter's widow. He was arrested for sending obsecae letters to a local physician, and the Court ordered him to leave the State, which he did in quick order, leaving his latest sweetheart \$1,000 short. He next showed up in Concord, Ky, where he courted and promised to marry a widow hady named Cochran. She loaned him \$2,000 to buy a drug store, and he jumped the village that night. A few months later he turned up at Osage, III. Here he joined the M. E. Church, and soon won the heart and hand of Miss Carrie Blank, the organist. After their marriage they took \$300 which the bride had saved by teaching music and left for Scattle, W. fr.

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The southern County Commissioners of the County County of the Superior of the Chespach in the Halligence, and the capital power as much as it was in 1891.

PARKEISBUE NOTES.

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days of wedded life, discovered that she had married an imposter and gave him the bounce.

He then went to McComb, O., where he stuck out a shingle—"Dr. J. M. Chaplin." While at McComb, Mrs. Snell, of Bowling Green, Ky., made her appearance, and threatened to expose him if he did not pay back the \$105 borrowed from her. He told her that he was engaged to Mrs. Freyberger, who had \$10,000 in cash, and that he would give her \$300 as soon as married. Mrs. Snell came to this city and placed the matter in the hands of a friend. Chaplin a few days ago came to this city and placed the matter in the hands of a friend. Chaplin a few days ago came to this city and rented an office, but only remained five days, when he returned to Bowling Green, O. He remained here and practiced medicine, and made an application to become a member of the Mr. E. church.

RETRIBUTION.

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On the 16th day of February, 1886, while Mr. Parker was away hunting was the property of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, and was occupied by the hotel servants. The hotel was saved with difficulty. Loss unknown, but is covered by insurance.

A Boller Explosion.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.
CHARLESTON, W. VA., March 25.—The boiler of the Pioneer coal works at Malden exploded at 5 o'clock last night. The men quit an hour earlier than usual Saturday, and none were injured. The building was demolished. Loss \$1,000. The cause is unknown.

"There are millions in latter and the control of the Chaplin's arrest of the property of the Probate Judgles office and produced a marriage license. In order to get it he swore that Mrs. Freyberger was a resident of this county. He then took his intended wife to the residence of Rev. J. R. Mitchell, where they were married. They returned to Bowling Green on the first train, and went to keeping house in one of the bride's dwellings. When Parker returned his anger knew no bounds. He resolved to bring the scoundred to justice, and with the aid of friends accumulated all of the above facts.

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# affair has caused one of the greatest sen sations ever known in this section o

Chaplin is a small man, with light hair and mustache. His education is limited. He does not look the secun-drel that he is.

A SAVAGE LOVER. One Rival Cruelly Murders Another Alabama.

COLUMBIA, ARA., March 25.—Nathan Patterson and Edward William have ooth been courting the same woman Patterson warned Williams one week that if he ever called upon the woman again he would shoot him dead. This morning Patterson heard that Williams had called upon her last night, so he armed himself with a Smith & Wessen, armed himself with a Smith & Wessen, and, meeting Williams about noon, commenced firing on him. Williams fell at the first shot, when the murderer came up closer, and fired two more bullets through him. The murderer then walked away, threatening the crowd present with the remaining bullets if they attempted to follow him.

St. PAUL, March 25 .- Coming as it did ust when the people were looking for signs of spring, the severe snow and signs of spring, the sovere snow and wind storm which raged all to-day in Northern Wisconsin, Minnesota and Dakota, seemed especially unpleasant. It approached from a southwesterly direction, being driven along at a thirty nile an hour gait. The snow which is very heavy and packs easily, has fallen to a depth of from three to five inches. to a depth of from three to five inches. In St. Paul it began falling at 10 o'clock this morning and continued until dark. Street car travel was abandoned and making their way about the streets.

A Gang of Thieves brought to Light. CHARLESTON, W. VA., March 25 .- Steve and Charles Kelley, recently arrested in Wayne county, have confessed that they

Wayne county, have confessed that they were members of a band of outlaws and robbers, some of whom reside in this State, and some in Ohio.

The Kelleys name as a member of theirband an old man named Workman. The Kelleys further said they shot E. Bush, near Ceredo, last year, also that they had robbed P. Lyman & Bro, and they had robbed P. Lyman & Bro, at Dunleith, and several private resi-dences and stores at Guyandotte. The gang robbed upon information furnished by a woman named Melissa Badtram,

Commodore Robert B. Hitchcock, of the United States Navy, died in New York City Saturday morning.

The Republican State Committee of New York met in the Fifth Avenue Lotel, New York City, and decided to cold their State Convention in Buffalo

on May 16.

The Republicans of Logan county, blio, have instructed their delegates to state and District conventions to vote or Sherman representatives to the National Convention. Kansas farmers have started a move

ment looking to the organization of a trust to include the farmers, stock rais-ers and feeders of the Northwestern States and Territories of the Mississipp Representative Mills, Chairman of the House Ways and Mems Committee, is suffering from a severe cold and attendant fever, which has prevented his presence at the Capitol for two days, and confined him to his bed.

Starmlay, bringing 200 passengers of the steamer Nederland, from Antwerp for New York. The Nederland arrived at Halifax with a broken shaft. The pas-sengers will proceed to New York by rail.

rail.

A petition has been received by the Board of Railroad and Wavehouse Commissioners of Illinois, signed by some 46 citizens of Aurora, urging the Board to investigate the charges that the engineers and firemen on the Chicago, Burlington and Quiney trains running through Aurora are incompetent.

and burned hercely for over an hour, but the firemen succeeded in confining the flames to the theatre building. The rear wall of the building, however, fell on the Theatre Comique, immediately in the rear of the Central and fronting on Sansom street, and completely de-molished that structure. The total loss is estimated at \$185.000, partially cover. is estimated at \$185,000, partially cover ed by insurance.

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Have you seen those beautiful designs for ceiling decorations at Orr's New Wall Paper Depot, 41 Twelfth street? If not, don't fail to see them before purchasing elsewhere.

Prissons desiring to make a good, safe and profitable investment take stock in the Eagle Bullding Association,

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Parker came to this city vesterday, went before Justice Brand and had a warrant issued for Chaplin's arrest on the charge of bigamy. The warrant was blaced in the hands of Sheriff Cusac, who went to Bowling Green and arrested Chaplin, bringing him to this city on the evening train. He was arraigned in the Justice Court, pleaded guilty to the charge of bigamy, and asked that a special grand jury be impanelled, and the cam be taken before the court which show in session and receive his sentence. His request will be granted to the first residence of Renewsher Youth.

Mrs. Pheebe Chesley, Peterson, Clay double for the truth of which is out, the policy is resident to the with didney complaint and lameness for many years; could not dress myself without he above facts.

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Burt and Tue Eagle Building Association will start March 31. Take stock at once.

# THE GIGANTIC SCHEME

Of the Burlington Road to Es tablish a Board of Control

BUT IT DID NOT WORK WELL

A Trust which was to Contro Through and Competitive Business--An Adjusting Board.

CHICAGO, March 25 .- To-morrow the Chicago Times will print the following regarding the answer the Burlington in Judge Gresham's court, charging that the Burlington conspired to create a great Western Railroad Trust, and in pursuance of that policy held down rates for some time after the other roads were willing and anxious to restore

them;
Without any reference to the merits of the charge that the Burlington was seeking to establish a "trust" there was, without doubt, a movoment in favor of creating what was to be known as a "Board of Control," which was to have power to decide all questions arising between the railroads in the West, to arrange the rates on and control the through and competitive business of the western lines.

proposition to restore rates the Burling-ton representative voted in the negative, it being understoon that that company would not acquiesce until a permanent agreement between the competing roads had first been arrived. Since then the Conference Committee

## THE BURLINGTON STRIKE.

with Incompetent Engineers.
CHICAGO, ILL., March 25.—The chairnan who presided over the switchnen's mass meeting at Turner hall Fri day night gave the following particulars concerning the strike: "Forty switch engines are tied up, which leaves 120 switchmen out. We will not jeopardize our lives. Why, half of the new engineers don't know any more about an engine than the men who never saw one. The company's officials say that no fingers have been smashed or bones broken. Why, there have been three or four of the boys laid up already. This strike was not ordered by the switchmen's union. We struck in order to preserve ourselves. I cannot tell you anything that occurred at last night's meeting and I do not know when we will meet again. The executive committee will call the meeting." lay night gave the following particulars

neeting."
"How do you intend to approach the ompany on this question?"
"We will ask the officials to place reli-

"We will ask the omeans to pace ren-able and competent men on the engines."
"Do you think the company will come to an immediate settlement?"
"I do not, as the company are deter-mined to keep their employes under their thumbs."

their thumbs."

All the leaders of the engineers, as well as the switchmen who are on strike, deny that the strike of the switchmen was organized in pursuance of any agreement among then. They insist that it is spontaneous and the independent act of the strikers.

CHICAGO, March 26 .- A special from cars. The St. Paul & Omaia has not, since the early days of the Burlington strike until the present time, handled any Burlington freight, and had been the most outspoken of any of the roads in refusing it.

selected as the day to hold the primaries by popular vote for the different county officers, from 2 to 8 p. m. in the county districts and 2 to 9 in the city. The Republicans are now fully in the field and ready for the campaign.

The directors of the Oil and Gas Company held a meeting on Friday evening to devise ways to increase the stock in order to sink the Rayle test well to a greater depth. The drift has been stopped at a depth of twonty-seven hundred feet, for lack of funds. It was decided to call a meeting of the stockholders at the Contr House on next Thursday evening and endeavor to raise sufficient funds. When a halt was called in the drilling they were just entering another eard in which the convent have reconstituted. drilling they were just entering another sand, in which the company have great

ed a convention for next Saturday even-ing for the purpose of nominating per-sons to fill the various city offices, to be voted on April 10. Those to elect are voted on April 10. Those to elect are six councilmen, a city slerk and a school commissioner,

Mercer.

Progress of the Strike.

At the first conference held about a month ago this plan was submitted and rejected by a large majority. The impression prevailed that it was a Burlington plan and it was common gossip among the officials that the three members of the "Board of Control" would have been E. P. Ripley, General Freight Agent of the Burlington, J. W. Midgley, of the Southwestern, and J. N. Faithern, of the Western and Northwestern Freight Bureaus. The officials were formerly persuaded that the board thus constituted would have been managed in the interest of the Burlington and from this belief arose the intense opposition to it. At this same meeting upon a proposition to restore rates the Burlington representative voted in the negative,

Since then the Conference Committee has agreed upon a report to be submitted to the managers, which provides for an adjusting board to take up and settle disputed questions, and this is really a board of arbitration, its power being limited and the right of appeal arranged for.

Subsequently the Burlington agreed to restore the rates, but for what reason has not been made apparent.

Glasscock has signed with Indianapo-lis. It is not unlikely that "Jack" would rather have played with some other

Handling Burlington Cars. Omaha, Neb., says: The St. Paul & Omaha road in this city has begun to handle Chicago, Burlington & Quincy

Wellaburg.

The Republican meeting held at the Court House on Saturday afternoon, was a large and enthusiastic one, the Court House being comfortably filled. The meeting was called to order promptly at 2 o'clock, by Chairman of the Executive Committee D. McClelland, who stated the object of the meeting. James Archer was chosen Chairman and Geo. W. McCleary Secretary. The convention at one got down to business and elected a new Executive Committee as follows: From Wellsburg district, John A. Briggs, John B. Redman; from Buffalo district, Dr. C. Shriver, H. C. Wells and S.W. Atkinson; from Gross Creek district, T. J. Mahon, R. M. Morton and J. A. McNeir, Popular opinion says it is the best committee that Brooke county ever had. During the progress of the meeting general good feeling prevailed. Immediately after adjournment the Executive Committee met and organized by electing John A. Briggs Fresident, John B. Redman Secretary and J. E. Montgomery Treasurer. Saturday June 9, was selected as the day to hold the primaries by popular vote for the different county officers, from 2 to 8 p. m. in the county officers, from 2 to 8 p. m. in the county officers, from 2 to 8 p. m.

faith.

The Republicans of the city have call-

and the efficacy of its action have rendered the famous California liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, immensely popular. It cleanses and tones up the clogged and feverish system, and dispels aches, colds and fevers. Sold by Logan & Co., Anton P. Hess, R. B. Burt and C. Menkemiller. At Bellaire by M. N. Mercer.

### THE SHOOTING OF HELT.

The Victim Dead—Postmaster Smith is R leased on Ball. Charles Helt, the young man fatally

of Burlington, over the river, died at ten

reporter, who wrote the ante morten statement for the Justice. The wounded man struggled hard to answer while suf-fering constantly intense pain. His dying statement is as follows:

Q.—Do you know who shot you? A.—John Smith.

BASE BALL.

ri-State League Notes and Gossip—Car ton's Howl on the Schedule.

At a meeting of the Canton directors

outlook for the coming season was con-

Kalamazoo has been put on the sched ule committee in place of Canton. The meeting of the committee will be held in Mansfield, March 29, instead of Tole-

in Mansheld, March 29, instead of fole-do, as heretofore announced. Colum-bus is willing to agree to any schedule that will give her Fourth of July at home with Canton.

The Canton Repository in speaking of

Canton has no desire to indulge in kick-ing, but it would like to have an equal chance with Columbus and Wheeling, that appear to be unjustly favored by McDermith. He has acted entirely

sidered flattering.

the most strength.

Q.—What is your name? A.—Charles Held.

o'clock Saturday morning, just twelve hours from the time he was wounded ANOTHER RIOT IS THE RESULT The brief outline of the homicide given Saturday morning was correct in every letail, the trouble at Glenn's Run school house having originated after the adnouse inving originates after the actiourned meeting of the Glendale Choral Society from the taking up of the case of Henry Helt, by President Smith, the former having on the Friday night prior to the last meeting, kicked the door of the school house, breaking the panel. The Board of Directors having in the meantime decided that the Choral Society should pay the damage, the latter were in a majority of the opinion that Henry Helt should repair the damage. At this juncture Charley Helt interfered, saying that such a decision was not fair, and after a few hot words with President Smith he struck him just below the eye, giving that organ a rather blueish hue, and struck him a second time, when Smith drew a revolver and told his assailant to stand back or he would shoot, at the same time being so dazed from the effects of the blows received as to not notice that the weapon was cocked, and that he had his finger on the trigger. The weapon was almost instantly discharged, the ball entering Charley's left side.

The wounded man was carried to the ourned meeting of the Glendale Chora man Newspapers-Other Interesting Foreign News.

has proclaimed the National League ceting which it was proposed to hold at Youghal to-day. The town is crowded with police. Mr. O'Brien, who was in Cork when the notice of the

The wounded man was carried to the home of John Johnston and made as comfortable as possible until Drs. Hervey, Williams and Blackford arrived, who did all in their power for the victim, but without avail. The physicians remained with the wounded man until after 1 o'clock.

Mayor Keller heard their opinion of the man's wound, and that he could not recover, and at once went to Johnson's house, accompanied by an INTELLIGENCER reporter, who wrote the ante mortem

### REVILED BY HER SUBJECTS. Merciless Attacks of the German Press or

orts of Emperor Frederick's improved health, the Berlin newspapers continue to publish pessimistic articles, The slan-derous attacks upon the Empress are still kept up, though netwith the degree of boldness which characterized them a few weeks ago. The illustrated papers are less circumspect, however, and caricatures and pamphlets are freely circulated, the nature of which it would be impossible to even hint at. A gratifying offset to these offensive publications is the movement started by the women of Germany to present to Her Majesty the Empress an address in recognition of her fidelity and devotion to her husband, and her contention, exemplified in her German life, that marriage is not a slavery, but a partnership. few weeks ago. The illustrated paper

remains were interred in August Hentchel's private burying ground near A famine prevails in the Schutt district, Hungary, owing to the floods. At Pressburg two thousand persons are being relieved, partly by the Government and partly by Count George Aponvi.

Jackson is tickled over securing Ed. Phalen. He is, without doubt, a good int. Snyth, an agent of the Edutanie Insurance Company, of New York, was arrested at Londonderry Saturday when about to depart for America. He is charged with having issued policies for a man who is deceased. The grass growing weather has not appeared, but there are indications that it is sneaking around in the neighborhood

\$100,000 of the securities obtained by these notorious women from Mf. Gill, of New York, five years ago.

The opening game with Pittsburgh should be heralded with a brass band overture, even if Wheeling should have to leave the grounds to the tune of the Dead March. The C. & P. yard men were handling g iron for the nail works yester ad unloaded several hundred tons.

> Charley Blakeney, of the Bellaire, Zanesville & Cincinnati, has gone into the newspaper correspondence business. He cân get in some very late specials on account of his knowledge of the "licker." account of his knowledge of the

The picture of "Sammy" Nichols published in yesterday's Register would look like him if he looked like any other man. "Sam" must have done something awful when he sat for that picture. District Assembly 137 K. of L., elected

District Assembly 137 K. of L., elected the following efficers Friday night: D. M. W., G. Schmidt; D. W. F., J. R. Degant; D. R. S. F. A., Miss Mary A. Burke; D. F., John J. Shuttleworth; D. S., J. F. Francis.

The following candidates were nominated by the Democratic convention Saturday: Trustee, three years, William Shields; Trustee, one year, George Kern; Treasurer, Luke Gavin; Clerk, Frank Williams, by acclamation; Justices, Thomas McCormick, William Drugan, James McKeen; Constables, John Baugh, John Meyers. Thomas McCormick was chairman and W. C. Warnock secretary. Will White, of Bellaire, the shortstop of the Louisville Association team, has signed this season for \$2,250, an advance of \$250 over what he received last season. He has left home to join the club for practice. practice.

The Toledo Commercial says: "Wheel-The foleon commercial says: wheeling and Toledo have the natural gas teams. When natural gas meets natural gas then comes the tug of war." If Toledo plays as hard as she blows she may be able to put up a pretty good game.

The citizens of the Second ward will hold a convention at the City Hall this evening at 8 o'clock to nominate an Assessor and Councilman.

an interesting sermon to the Rechabites in the M. E. church and was listened to

The Canton Repository in speaking of the new schedule committee says: "Canton is given the shake in the new deal, while the other two are retained. This blooks queer on the part of President McDermith. It is shabby treatment of Canton. If the President had dropped of Columbus and Wheeling with Canton, it would have been all right. Wheeling's a manager presented that objectionable schedule at the Sandusky meeting, yet Wheeling is given another chance while the Canton is left out in the cold. It was in thought that when President McDermith was elected to his position he a would steer clear of showing partiality to his home club, Columbus, but his wresent action don't look much like it. Canton has no desire to indulge in kick-turn but it would be the chance as as all the columbus. Yesterday afternoon a Young Men's Christian Association was organized in this city at the M. E. church. Several members of the Bridgeport Association were present. The order starts off with a fair promise of success.

The Republican township primaries

were field in Heinfern's Hail, in Brage-port. The following ticket was nomi-nated: For Trustee, W. W. Woods; Treasurer, John E. Selby; Clerk, John Terrell; Constable, William Burns; Assessors, Walter Darrah and William Cook. ACKER'S Blood Elixir is the only blood

McDermith. He has acted entirely wrong in not appointing an entirely new committee." Wheeling was the only club that filled the requirements by going to the meeting with aschedule. The other clubs seemed to thinkthat a schedule could be made in five or ten minutes. In having complied with the League laws why should not Wheeling have been kept on the new committee? For some time past I've been a rhen-matic. I recently tried Salvation Oil which gave me almost instant relief. I sincerely recommend it as it has entirely curred ame, James Gondon, Baltimore, Md.

Acker's Blood Elixir is the only blood remedy guaranteed. It is a positive cure for ulcers, cruptions or syphillitic poisoning. It purifies the whole system, and bunishes all rheumatic and neuralgic pains. We guarantee it. Logan & Co., C. M. Goctze, C. Menkemiller, R. B. Burt and Bowie Bros.

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FROM OVER THE OCEAN O'Brien Speaks at a Proclaimed shot on Friday evening, by John Smith,

# Meeting in Ireland.

In Which Some Blood is Shed-The New Empress Ill-treated by Ger-

was in Cork when the notice of the proclamation was received, proceeded immediately to Youghal, declaring that he would hold the meeting at all hazards. Upon leaving London, which he did for the purpose of speaking at their meeting, Mr. O'Brien was advised not to purchase a return ticket, they expecting that the carrying out of his avowed purpose would result in his arrest. Mr. O'Brien, therefore, bought a ticket for the journey to Ireland only.

He addressed the Pensonby tenants at Youghal at an early hour this morning, and after a word attempted to hold the meeting which had been proclaimed by the government. He mounted a 'car with the intention of addressing the people, but was seized by policemen and dragged to the ground. The police then charged upon the crowd with drawn batons, and a serious melee ensued, in which a number of both sides were wounded. It is alleged that several of the police were stabled. Magistrate Plunett was thrown down and beaten, and he received a cut on the head.

Mr. O'Brien escaped to the priest's house, and subsequently harangued the crowd in a stable. The police and soldiers are parading the streets of the town.

the New Empress,
LONDON, March 25.—Despite the re-A.—John Smith.
Q.—Why did he do it?
A.—He asked questions about a broken door; I answered. He claimed he had asked enough members. I asked if it would not be good to hear both sides of the tale. He said he had heard both sides. I said he had not. He pulled his coat and I hit him.
Q.—What position were you in when Q.—What position were you in when Q.—What position were you in when he shot you?

A.—I was standing. Was not going towards him. Did not know he was going to shoot me. Shot me immediately after I knocked him down. Never had hard feelings with Smith, Never made any threats against him. We never had a word. Hit him two or three times.

Q.—How often had you hit him before he shot?

A.—Had not time to notice; they came at me too strong. Had nothing against me. Never had any words before.

Mayor Keller, of Martin's Ferry, Saturday morning onlihe strength of the evidence, released Smith on \$300 bail, to await a preliminary hearing on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

The Queen of Portugal has gone to porto to assist in relieving the sufferers by the Banquet Theater fire. Empress Victoria gave a Court recep-tion Saturday, at which it was announced that Emperor Frederick continued to improve, and that he is stronger, his throat affection being relieved. orning at 10 o'clock.
The funeral of Charles Helttook place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his parent's home on Glenn's Run. The

Mr. Smyth, an agent of the Equitable

It is stated and generally believed that the London police have recoved from the Woodhull sisters, Harriet and Alice,

Henry Yaik, of Detroit, one of Wheel-ng's catchers, arrived in the city last vening and registered at the Howell Iouse. Young Hanke, the would-be suicide will get well. The talk of Canton black-listing Brodie evidently partakes of the nature of an advertisement for the club. Wheeling is not worked up to any extent over the Fred Eberle will quit the grocery busi-ess to go into the insurance and Amer-can express business.

Unless a favorable report comes from the glass conference Scott Littleton, James McGinnis and Jim Fallet will go to Canada to work in the glass houses there.

The Jackson Patriot says that the many changes this season in the Tri-State League clubs makes it a hard mat-ter to foretell which clubs will develop Chas. S. Gill, of this city, has been appointed secretary of the Elson Glass Company of Martin's Ferry. He has resigned his position in Pittsburgh as traveling salesman, and will take hold to-

Jev. J. S. Winters last evening preached

Mrs. Elmira, mother of Rev. S. F. De-Hass, died yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The funeral will take place to-morrow at 10 a. m., the interment being at Elm Grove, W. Va.

The Republican township primaries were held Saturday afternoon in the City Hall, and were well attended, and the following ticket was nominated: For Trustee, W. A. Brown; Treasurer, J. Ed Clark; Clerk, Wm. H. Coss; Assessor, W. F. Giffin. The Democratic township primaries were held in Heinlein's Hall, in Bridge-